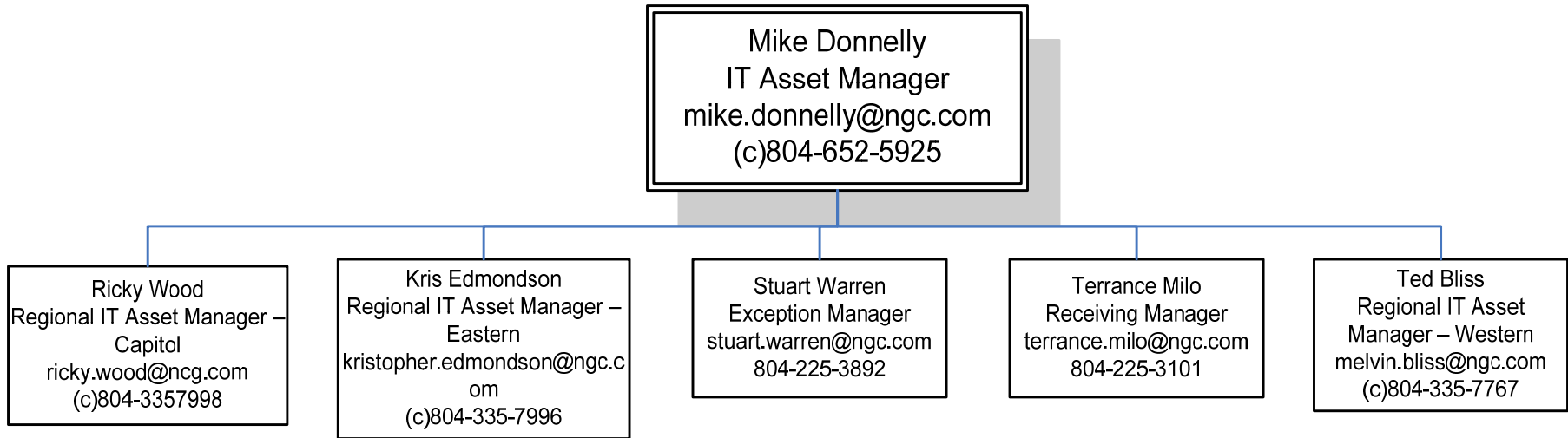


IT Asset Management

- **Meet the Team**
- **Asset Management - An Evolving Process**
- **Altiris Asset Control - A Preview**
- **Questions and Answers**

IT Asset Management

Meet the Team



Asset Management - An Evolving Process

- **Pre VITA**
 - **Agencies Owned And Managed Its Own Assets**
- **VITA**
 - **VITA Assumed Responsibility For IT Asset Management**

Asset Management - An Evolving Process

- **VITA/Northrop Grumman – MOU Phase**
 - **Northrop Grumman Owns New Assets Bought Between SCD And Refresh, And Will Own Refreshed Equipment**
 - **Northrop Grumman Is Responsible For Asset Management**
- **VITA/Northrop Grumman Managed Services**
 - **Northrop Grumman Will Own And Manage All IT Assets**
 - **Agencies Billed By Device Counts**

Legacy Assets

- **The Proposal**

- All Assets Would Be Refreshed
- All Assets Would Be Owned By Northrop Grumman
- All Assets Would Be Under Rigorous Management From First Deployment

- **Current Environment**

- Many Agency Assets Are Relatively New
- Many Assets Meet Northrop Grumman Requirements
- The Environment Remains Dynamic

The Problem

- **Determining Which Assets To Retain Using A Rational Method**
 - **Prioritizing assets to be refreshed by Age / Configuration**

- **Bringing Those Assets To Be Retained Under Rigorous Asset Management Until They Are Refreshed**

The Solution

Altiris Asset Control

- **Key Features And Benefits**
 - **Builds On Existing Efforts And Uses VITA IT Asset Inventory Database**
 - **Central Server Can Serve All Agencies**
 - **As Other Services Are Added Architecture Is Scalable**
 - **There are Inventory Clients For Full Range Of Devices**
 - **Uses Port 80/443 For Reporting Thus Reducing Firewall Issues**

Tools

- **The Altiris Management Suite Is The Overall Desktop/Server Management Solution**
- **The Following Components Will Support Asset Management**
 - **Notification Server**
 - **Asset Management Suite**
 - **Inventory Solution**
 - **Barcode Solution**
 - **Connector Solution**
 - **Network Discovery**

The Deployment

- **Pilot Environments Are Being Settled Now**
 - **Expect To Know In The Next Two Weeks**
- **Benefits**
 - **Easier Count**
 - **Rational Refresh Strategy**
 - **Allowing Beginning Of Inventory Reconciliation**

Assets Being Tracked

- **Network connected**
 - **Desktops**
 - **Laptops**
 - **Servers**
 - **Printers**
 - **Blackberries/PDAs**
- **Non-network connected**
 - **Desktops**
 - **Laptops**
 - **Servers**
 - **Printers**
 - **Blackberries/PDAs**
- **Network devices**
- **Software**

The Altiris Inventory Agent

- **Agent Distribution – Flexibility**
 - **Push From Notification Server**
 - **Email To Target Users**
 - **Pull From Web Site**
 - **Load From Diskette Or Thumb Drive**
 - **Network Share Drive**
 - **Login Script**

This is key !

The Altiris IT Asset Management Plan

- **The IT Asset Inventory System Database Is Being Automatically Converted To Altiris Asset Control**
- **Continue To Use The VITA IT Asset Inventory System – Placing The Northrop Grumman PO# In The Other Tag Field**
- **Once Agents Are Installed And Personnel Trained In IMAC Procedures, The IT Asset Inventory Will Be Turned Off. Altiris Will Be The System.**

The Altiris IT Asset Management Plan

- **The Goal Is For IT Asset Management To Managed The Inventory – Not Service Delivery**
- **Will Need Your Help To Get There**
 - **Reconciliation Via Bar Coding, Phone Calls, And General Assistance. Details Yet To Be Worked Out.**

- **QUESTIONS - DIALOGUE**